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SUBJECT: U.S. ARMY PRESSURE ON FAYE MOON

1. FOLLOWING GUIDANCE PREPARED FOR DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN FOR AUGUST 2.

2. QUOTE: QUESTION: IS IT CORRECT THAT THE US ARMY PRESSURED MRS. FAYE MOON TO STOP HER PROTESTS CONCERNING THE TRIAL OF HER HUSBAND BY THE KOREAN GOVERNMENT?

3. ANSWER: MRS. MOON WAS NOT PRESSURED OR THREATENED BY THE USG. MILITARY OFFICERS DID DISCUSS WITH HER THE POSSIBLE IMPLICATIONS AND CONSEQUENCES OF WHAT MIGHT BE CONSIDERED POLITICAL ACTIVITIES IN THE ROK.

4. BACKGROUND: MRS. MOON IS EMPLOYED BY THE US ARMY, AND BOTH MILITARY REGULATIONS AND OUR STATUS OF FORCES AGREEMENT WITH THE KOREAN GOVERNMENT PROHIBIT POLITICAL ACTIVITIES BY DOD PERSONNEL IN THE HOST COUNTRY. END QUOTE

5. WASHINGTON POST OF JULY 31 RAN STORY ALLEGING THAT
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6. NO QUESTIONS WERE ASKED AT AUGUST 2 NOON BRIEFING ON
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